# BEFORE THE STATE BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR THE HEALING ARTS STATE OF MISSOURI

STATE BOARD OF REGIST FOR THE HEALING ARTS,		)
	Petitioner,	) )
v.		) Case No. 2001-000325
ALLEN L. PARIS, M.D.,		)
	Respondent.	<i>)</i> )

## FINDINGS OF FACT, CONCLUSIONS OF LAW AND DISCIPLINARY ORDER

This matter appears before the State Board of Registration for the Healing Arts pursuant to a Complaint filed in the above-styled case. Pursuant to a Notice of Automatic Revocation Hearing, a hearing was held on Friday, July 27, 2001, at the Westin Crown Center Hotel, One Pershing Road, Kansas City, Missouri. The Board was represented by Rule 13 Certified Student Brian Brady and Assistant Attorney General Charissa Watson. James Ertle, Assistant Attorney General, served as the Board's legal advisor. Respondent was not present for the hearing and no one appeared on his behalf.

#### FINDINGS OF FACT

1. The State Board of Registration for the Healing Arts ("the Board") is an agency of the State of Missouri created and established pursuant to § 334.120, RSMo, for the purpose of executing and enforcing the provisions of Chapter 334, RSMo.

- 2. Allen L. Paris, M.D. ("Respondent") is licensed by the Board, license number MDR1C29. Respondent's certificate of registration expired on January 31, 1998.
- 3. On or about June 21, 2001, Respondent received Notice of Automatic Revocation Hearing by certified mail.
- 4. On or about July 21, 2000, Respondent was found guilty on one (1) felony count of Conspiracy to Defraud Medicare and Civilian Health and Medical Program of the Uniformed Services ("CHAMPUS") Program in a proceeding styled *United States of America v. Allen Lee Paris*, Case No. 99-03045-01-CR-S-5, in the United States District Court, Western District of Missouri.
- 5. Conspiracy to Defraud Medicare and CHAMPUS Programs is a felony offense involving moral turpitude, an essential element of which is fraud and dishonesty.

#### **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

- 1. Revocation is authorized in this State pursuant to § 334.103, RSMo 2000.
- 2. The findings of fact as set forth herein show cause for this Board to revoke Respondent's license pursuant to Section 334.103, RSMo 2000.

### **DECISION AND DISCIPLINARY ORDER**

Pursuant to the above Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that upon the effective date of this Order, Respondent's license, number MDR1C29, to practice the Healing Arts in the State of Missouri shall be and is hereby REVOKED. The Board of Registration for the Healing Arts further ORDERS that

Respondent shall not apply for reinstatement of his license for a period of TWO (2)

YEARS AND ONE DAY from the effective date of this ORDER. Respondent is directed to immediately return to the Board his wall-hanging certificate, license and pocket card, and all other indicia of licensure.

IT IS SO ORDERED, effective this S day of Lugar, 2001.

STATE BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR THE HEALING ARTS

Tina Steinman

**Executive Director**